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Queen of the Jersey Hills

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THE inspiration for this booklet is the shirttown of Morris County, situated in the heart of the New Jersey Hills, famed for their unsurpassed scenic beauty. At the very threshold of the World's greatest mart, Morristown is, and has been, from the earliest pioneer days, the home of some of our country's most renowned statesmen, inventive geniuses, and business men; claiming as a proud distinction, the origin of the telegraph, inseparable from the name of Morse; also the telephone, gift of the late Alfred N. Vail.

It was here that during a critical stage of the Revolutionary struggle for Independence, Washington made his headquarters; and many thrilling tales are told regarding events of that period, including the episode of Alexander Hamilton and Betty Schuyler.



OLD STONE TOWER

The glamour of romance, and the charm of nature in her happiest moods, have here combined to create a fitting environment for the accomplishment of high ideals; and Morristown's achievement of the past, and present, adequately guarantees her future.



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WASHINGTON STREET, LOOKING FROM THE PARK



VIEW OF TOWN FROM FORT NONSENSE

MORRISTOWN—QUEEN OF THE JERSEY HILLS

There's a garden spot in Jersey,
 Up among the verdant hills,
 Where Dame Nature offers gratis,
 An elixir, she distills
 From pure water, air and sunshine,
 Drawn from azure Summer skies,
 That makes life worth the living,
 In that upland Paradise.



THE WHIPPANY RIVER CLUB



LACKAWANNA RAILROAD STATION

The Queen of all this region,
 Up the Lackawanna Line,
 Fairer than the Jersey Lily,
 Is an old sweetheart of mine;
 And she's waiting here to greet you,
 In a flowery Summer gown;
 Come and get an introduction
 To bewitching Morristown.



SPRING BROOK COUNTRY CLUB



THE CITY PARK

Among her priceless treasures,
 One gem we all love best,
 An Emerald "The City Park,"
 She wears upon her breast,
 In an exquisite setting,
 Wrought by love's magic art;
 And when her toilers gather there,
 Their Vandal Cares depart.



MORRISTOWN BOYS' SCHOOL, WHIPPANY ROAD



MORRISTOWN HIGH SCHOOL

Her public institutions
 Are temples to her fame,
 And all her homes are altars
 With love's offering aflame.
 Smoke from her factory chimneys,
 Throughout a working day,
 Like incense burned to labor,
 Rises and drifts away.

ALTAMONT COURT



MILLER ROAD



THE PHYSIATRIC INSTITUTE

Hill rimmed and bathed in beauty
 When dawn has conquered night,
 This Regal Lady's dwelling place,
 Is a realm of pure delight.
 When a perfect day is ending
 And the shadows gather there,
 They fall like a benediction,
 That follows after prayer.



CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION



ST. PETER'S CHURCH OF THE BELLS



BURNHAM PARK, MORRISTOWN'S PLAYGROUND

A legion of admirers
Give her unbounded praise.
She entertained George Washington,
In dark colonial days
When dangers lurked on every hand ;
She shared the joys and fears,
And treasures yet the memory
Of New Jersey's Pioneers.

The vagrant winds in passing,
Bestow a fond caress,
And the gift of fleeting years
Is added loveliness.
Oh! Morristown "Enchantress,"
Your very name fulfills
My high ideals of beauty,
Queen of the Jersey Hills.



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HIS little volume is intended as a personal invitation to you to come to Morristown and see for yourself this garden spot among the Jersey Hills.

The charming views herein contained, and the poem utilized as their subject matter, fittingly express the regard, not only of the home folk, but also hosts of tourists and vacationists drawn here by innumerable attractions, Golf Links "None Better," Tennis Clubs, Woodland Drives, Hills and Streams, all in close proximity to the busy center of the Town, ideally located around a beautiful Park, where all needs of both body and mind may be supplied.

Here diverge the main auto routes to all points of the compass. To the North lies beautiful Lake Hopatcong and the Interstate Park. Westward, the Delaware Water Gap where the Lackawanna Line finds exit toward Sunset Land. Leading South the historic Trail traversed by Washington and his Continentals, every mile replete with some special interest, on to Trenton, Monmouth and Valley Forge. Eastward, and almost within call, the teeming industrial cities adjacent to Manhattan.

Come to Morristown, she is waiting to greet you, and if you are overworked and weary of the daily grind, a draught of the healing elixir distilled from her upland, air, sunshine and pure water will quickly restore *you*; then you will know why we call her "Queen of the Jersey Hills," and will become in heart, if not in fact, one of her subjects.

Morristown is an ideal spot for an outing, or better still, a home; and numerous home-sites are now available, here where the community spirit of co-operation, given expression in the following long list of co-workers for the common good, assures you a congenial environment.

The delay of a detour from a more direct route to your destination will be more than balanced by the lingering memory of Morristown, Queen of the Jersey Hills.

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